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being the enemy of good, we will not recognize every senator's staff. I know and hope that you're in a position to be thanked. None of us do it alone. You're all important and we thank you. (Applause) But I am going to recognize the four people without whom I literally could not function. And you know that. Dr. Jim Pieper, Laurie Weber, Jeanette Thiem, and my wife, Kathy, whose idea it was, 12 years ago, that I run for this office and serve to the best of my ability. Thank you. (Applause) I will tell you now that I am trusting, Mr. Clerk, that you're not going to let me make any errors. So if there's anything I don't have here, just speak up. It'll be like you usually do. They just may not have heard it. I am told that I am to...that I can make comments about the session. I've thought about it...I can't. I can only say that I hope, as I've served, you have known how wonderful it has been, what a privilege. I thank God for it. It's one of the great moments of my life. Thank you. (Applause)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Speaker Brashear. We all appreciate you very much. Mr. Clerk, items please.

CLERK: Mr. President, communication from the Governor to the Clerk. (Read re LB 1024 and LB 1024A). (Also, communications from the Clerk regarding LB 542A, LB 1086A, LB 990A, LB 872A, LB 746A, LB 965A, and LB 1248A, Legislative Journal pages 1676-1679.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Redfield, for a motion, please.

SENATOR REDFIELD: Mr. President, as a member of the Revenue Committee, I have been asked to do what we do best. I move that all bills not otherwise disposed of excluding bills on Final Reading and vetoed or line-item vetoed bills on this date be indefinitely postponed.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed, nay. Motion carries. Senator Kremer, you're now recognized.

SENATOR KREMER: Mr. President, I move that the Chairpersons of all the standing committees file with the Clerk of the